

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Koichi SATO et al.)	Examiner: William K. Cheung
Application No.: 10/519,914)	Group Art Unit: 1796
Filed: January 3, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 3004
For: BLOCK POLYMER COMPOUND,)	
POLYMER COMPOSITION)	
CONTAINING THE SAME, IMAGE)	April 8, 2008
FORMING METHOD AND IMAGE)	
FORMING APPARATUS UTILIZING)	
THE SAME)	

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, Applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed Japanese patent document (with accompanying English-language abstract) is enclosed.

JP 3595805 B2 was cited in a 10 March 2008 office action from the Japanese Patent Office concerning a counterpart application. US 7067590 and US 2006/0148997 are in the same family as JP 3595805 B2. (EP 1285948 and US 2005/0209367, which are also in the same family as JP 3595805 B2, were previously cited in the 5 April 2006 Information Disclosure Statement filed in this application.)

The English-language abstract being provided for JP 3595805 B2 is the abstract of JP 2003-119342, which is the corresponding "A"-type document.

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CONCLUSION

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the above information and to return a signed and initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

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